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## SHIPPING.

### THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited)

Will despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. CULNA, 2,027 Tons, on THURSDAY, 30th September, 1880, at 3 p. m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Pellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Masulipatam, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

Conveyance to the Nilgherry Hills.—The steamers are timed to reach Beypore at daybreak, and arrangements have been made for a train to leave Beypore specially in connection with the steamers' arrival to convey Passengers right through to Mettapolium, where they will arrive at 7-15 p.m., and, after staying for the night, can proceed up the Ghat early the following morning.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S.S. EUPHRATES, 803 Tons, on TUESDAY, 28th September, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. PACHUMBA, 863 Tons, on SATURDAY, 2nd October, 1880, at 10 a. m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. SOCOTRA, 1,947 Tons, on THURSDAY, 21st October, 1880.

*N.B.*—Exports.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipping Bills for Cutch ports will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

Imports.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of the contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 24th September, 1880. Agents.

### STEAM COMMUNICATION with ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

The Regular Steamers Leave

GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th, on the 1st of *each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.
[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

| | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | 3rd Class. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aden | Rs. 220 | Rs. 140 | Rs. 40 |
| Suez | „ 380 | „ 240 | „ 90 |
| Port Said | „ 380 | „ 240 | „ 90 |
| Messina | „ 500 | „ 310 | „ 140 |
| Naples | „ 500 | „ 310 | „ 140 |
| Leghorn | „ 500 | „ 310 | „ 140 |
| Genoa | „ 500 | „ 310 | „ 140 |
| Marseilles | „ 530 | „ 320 | „ 140 |

Including Wines. Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agents.

Next steamers from Bombay :—

SINGAPORE, to sail on FRIDAY, 1st October 1880.
MANILLA, to sail on MONDAY, 1st November 1880.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation; and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The Steamers of this Company start precisely at 12 a.m. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

First and Second Class Through Railway Tickets, from GENOA and NAPLES to LONDON, are issued here at rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can be booked at through rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company,
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle.
Bombay, 6th September 1880.

### HALL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FORTNIGHTLY BETWEEN

BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL
(VIA MALTA).

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

| | Commanders. | Tons. | H.P. | Nomi. Sg. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| s.s. WISTOW HALL | T. Collin | 2700 | 400 | 10th Oct. | |
| s.s. SPEKE HALL | W. Brand | 2700 | 400 | To follow. | |
| s.s. BRANKSOME HALL | R. Collin | 2700 | 300 | ditto. | |
| s.s. CITY OF BALTIMORE | J. Verril | 2300 | 300 | ditto. | |
| s.s. TRENTHAM HALL | Jas. Shaw. | 2100 | 300 | ditto. | |
| s.s. RYDALL HALL | O. Lloyd | 2700 | 400 | ditto. | |

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For plans, hand-books of information, and any further particulars apply to

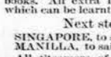
EDWARD BATES & Co.
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co. } Agents.

Bombay, 23rd Sept., 1880.

### ANCHOR LINE

OF

TRANSATLANTIC, PENINSULAR, MEDITERRANEAN, AND INDIAN STEAMSHIPS.



INDIAN SERVICE between BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, and MEDITERRANEAN.

| | Commanders. | Tons. | H.P. | Nomi. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| s.s. BRITANNIA | R. Hutchison. | 3163 | 400 | about | 20th Oct. |
| s.s. HESPERIA | James Laird | 2370 | 400 | to follow. | |
| s.s. MACEDONIA | Thos. Martin. | 2773 | 486 | do. | |
| s.s. TRINACRIA | L. White | 2107 | 421 | do. | |
| s.s. INDIA | Geo. H. Read | 2289 | 500 | do. | |

These Steamers have been specially fitted for the Indian Trade, and have accommodation for a large number of Saloon Passengers.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

| Fare through to | New York | Rs. 600 |
|---|---|---|
| | Liverpool | „ 500 |
| | Marseilles and Genoa | „ 450 |
| | Naples | „ 400 |

For plans, hand-books of information, and for any further information apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

Graham's Buildings, Bombay.

N.B.—The New York passages are booked in connection with the Company's Atlantic Mail Service, either from Greenock or from London.

There are weekly sailings from either place.

### P. GRANT & SON,

SADDLERS

AND

HARNESS MAKERS,

31, MEADOWS STREET,

BOMBAY.

## SHIPPING.

### PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to SOUTHAMPTON, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, AND GIBRALTAR.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

| Vessels. | Tons. | H.P. | Captains. | 1880. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| — VERONA | 3069 | 600 | E. Ashdown | 25th Sept. |
| s.s. POONA | 3131 | 550 | H. Weighell | 22nd Oct. |
| — THIBET | 2193 | 400 | W. Jordon | 9th „ |
| s.s. VENETIA | 2726 | 450 | J. Orman | 16th „ |
| — SUMATRA | 2488 | 450 | R. F. Briscoe | 23rd „ |
| s.s. PESHAWUR | 3900 | 600 | D. Rennoldson | 13th „ |
| — BANGALORE | 2342 | 450 | H. Wyatt | 6th Nov. |
| s.s. NIZAM | 2725 | 450 | G. W. Brady | 13th „ |
| — SURAT | 3142 | 530 | W. E. Breeze | 20th „ |
| s.s. INDUS | 3462 | 600 | S. D. Shallard | 27th „ |

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

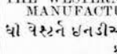
| Vessels. | Tons. | H.P. | Captains | 1880. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ZAMBESI | 2131 | 370 | A. Symons | 21th Sept. |
| TEHERAN | 2389 | 400 | E. Stewart | 8th Oct. |
| ANCONA | 3094 | 600 | E. G. Stead | 22nd „ |

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 17th Sept. 1880.

### P. & O. S. N. COMPANY.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.



SPECIAL FIRST CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for SIX MONTHS, will be issued to Passengers visiting the Exhibition by the steamer of the 4th June and subsequent fortnightly steamers, at the REDUCED FARE of RUPEES SIX HUNDRED.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 17th May 1880.

NOTICE.—CONSIGNEES of cargo per S. S. "Palm" are hereby informed of the Steamer's ARRIVAL from LONDON, and are requested to present their Bills of Lading and take delivery of their GOODS without delay.

MELVILLE & Co., Agents.
Bombay, 23rd September, 1880.

### SALES BY AUCTION.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

AUCTION SALE OF DRY COCOANUTS.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 25th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at Morarce Bazar, in the godown of Naronjee Mooljee and by his order the following, on account and at the risk of Messrs. Nagjee and Ruttonsee Ludha,

The remaining 79 Bags Telia Dry cocoanuts, ex S. S. Chindwara.

MENESSE & Co.
Bombay, 25th Sept. 1880.

BENNETT AND COMPANY.
No. 4, FORBES STREET.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 25th instant, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms, a quantity of grey and colored piece goods, &c.

AT 1 P. M.

1 Handsome strong Grey Arab galloway, 14 hands, goes well in single and double harness.

1 very handsome, fast trotting grey Arab horse, height 14½, in good condition, goes well in saddle and harness.

1 handsome strong Victoria with a powerful chestnut Arab horse and harness.

1 handsome powerful grey galloway goes in single and double harness.

BONA-FIDE.

On MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 1 P.M., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Wilderness Road, foot of Harkness, Malabar Hill, the very valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished household furniture, best plate, Kamary, fine crockery and glassware, firstrate oil-painting and oleographs, rich table ornaments, China and Japanese vases, an English-built glass-fronted miniature brougham, a pair of some fast-trotting grey Arab horse, sets of single harness, a large collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of W. H. Middleton, Esq., the same comprises rich star cut glassware, handsome dinner, dessert and tea services, best plateware, such as tea urn, claret jug, cruetstand, a set of spoons and forks, cutlery, &c., handsome blackwood and teakwood French polished and richly carved household furniture, such as set of dining table in 3 pieces, dumb waiter, Madras and Mallet pattern chairs, handsome circular, pier, card and writing tables, easy, folding, reclining and drawing room chairs, centre ottoman, elaborately carved davenport, teapoys, chiffonier, parian figures, very rich table ornaments, firstrate pictures, Wheeler and Wilson sewing Machine, iron four post bedstead, reclining couches, dressing and washing tables, dressing and cheval glasses, clothes and gown presses, chest of drawers, dispensing articles, books, a large collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c.

AT 2 P. M.

1 English built brougham by Nurse of London.
1 Handsome fast-trotting grey arab horse.
Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.
N.B.—The plants will be sold at 6-30 a.m. on the same day.

BENNETT & CO.
Bombay, 25th September 1880.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW BERAR COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a DIVIDEND of Rs. 40. (forty) per share (being at the rate of eight per cent, per annum) will be PAID on and after the 26th instant to the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company whose names stood on the Register on the 16th instant, on production of the share certificate.

GADDUM & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

THE WESTERN INDIA SPINNING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Limited.

ધી વેસ્ટર્ન ઇનડીઆ સ્પીનીંગ એંડ મેનયુફેકચરીંગ કંપની, લોમીટેડ.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the FIRST CALL of Rs. 500 per SHARE is made payable on FRIDAY, the 15th day of October, 1880, either at the Bank of Bombay or at the Registered Office of the Company, 7, Hummum Street.

Interest will be allowed at the rate of nine per cent per annum on money paid before the due date, and interest will be charged at nine per cent per annum on all amounts remaining unpaid after the date due.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THACKERSEY, MOOLJEE, SONS, & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers, and Agents.
Bombay, 24th September, 1880.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

THE SENATE will PROCEED in the month of MARCH, 1881, to the election of a TAGORE PROFESSOR for the term of one year, to commence on the 1st of September, 1881.

The salary of the Professorship is Rs. 10,000 per annum, and the Professor will be expected to deliver a course of not less than twelve lectures upon ONE of the following subjects :—

(1) Undivided Hindu family—Status, rights liabilities, and privileges of its members under the different schools of Hindu Law.
(2) The Law relating to the Disposition of property among the Mahommedans.
(3) The Law of Limitation and Prescription in British India, including Easements.
(4) The Law of Testamentary Devise as administered in British India.

Candidates for the Professorship are requested to forward their applications to the Registrar on or before the 1st of January, 1881, and at the same time to state on which of the above-mentioned four subjects they are prepared to lecture.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY, Registrar.
Senate House, The 18th September, 1880.

COMMISSARIAT.

SEALED TENDERS will be RECEIVED by the EXECUTIVE COMMISSARIAT OFFICER at ADEN up to 11 A.M., in OCTOBER next, on the dates noted against each, for contracts for the following supplies to the Commissariat Department at Aden for the year 1881, except for potatoes, which will be for the year 1881-82.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Arrowroot, Lime Juice, Crockery and China Ware, &c. under Schedule No. 24. | } Tenders to be received on 18th October, 1880. | | |
| Country Medicines, Ghee, &c., under Schedule No. 25. | .. | Do. 18th | Do. |
| Sugar Do. | No. 26. .. | Do. 20th | Do. |
| Sugar Do. | No. 26A .. | Do. 20th | Do. |
| Potatoes & Vegetables | No. 27. .. | Do. 23th | Do. |
| Tea, &c., Do. | No. 28. .. | Do. 25th | Do. |

FOR PERIM.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mutton, Provisions, and Miscellaneous articles, under Schedule No. 1. | } | Do. 11th | Do. |

FORMS of TENDERS and SCHEDULES with further particulars can be had on application at the above Offices.

E. OSTREHAN, Major,
For Acting Commissary General.
Commissary General's Office, Bombay, 21st Sept., 1880.

COMMISSARIAT.

SEALED TENDERS will be RECEIVED at 1 P. M. in OCTOBER next, at the EXECUTIVE COMMISSARIAT OFFICES marginally noted and on the dates fixed against each, for contracts as specified for 1881-82.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bombay ..... | Purchase of Litter of Commissariat and Slaughter Cattle, under Schedule No. 15. | On 19th October, 1880. |
| Poona ..... | | |
| Ahmednagar.. | | |
| Belgaum ..... | Purchase of Empty Hogs heads under Schedule, No. 16. | On 19th October, 1880. |
| Ahmedabad .. | | |
| Deesa ..... | | |
| Mhow ..... | Shoeing Cattle, Schedule No. 17. | On 19th October, 1880. |
| Neemuch ..... | | |
| Nusseerabad.. | Cotton Suttrungees, Schedule No. 19. | On 25th October, 1880. |
| Kurrachee .... | | |
| Hyderabad. .. | Cotton Sheets, Schedule No. 20. | On 25th October, 1880. |
| Bombay ..... | | |
| Poona ..... | | |
| Mhow ..... | Ice, under Schedule No. 18. | 25th Do. |
| Nurseerabad .. | | |
| Karrachee .... | | |

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E. OSTREHAN, Major,
For Acting Commissary General.
Commissary General's Office, Bombay, 21st Sept. 1880.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADMISSION FREE.
TO BILLIARD SALOON.

GRAND CONCERT,
TO-NIGHT, SATURDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER.
Commencing at 9.
HERR BITTERSMANN'S
Talented Company will play the following at
TEMPLE BAR,

NEW AIRS.
NEW SELECTIONS.
NEW DANCE MUSIC.

PART I.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. March | .. | Fatinitza | .. .. Suppi. |
| 2. Overture | .. | Semiramide | .. .. Rossini. |
| 3. Der Sohn der wildness | .. | .. | .. Knicken. |
| 4. Waltz | .. | Les Cloches de Corneville. | Metra. |
| 5. An Evening | .. | about Town .. | .. .. Basquit. |

PART II.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6. Quadrille | .. | Fantaska .. | .. Kaulich. |
| 7. Love's Reqtest | .. | .. .. | .. Ruchardt. |
| 8. Waltz | .. | Monbelli .. | .. Strauss. |
| 9. Cavatina | .. | Anna Bolena .. | .. Donizetti. |
| 10. Galop | .. | Wild fang .. | .. Faust |

BALCONY Re. 1, not including Refreshments.
TEMPLE BAR.

GAIETY THEATRE, BOMBAY.

LESSEES.....MESSRS. NORVILLE AND CROFTON.
Season 1880-81.
UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE OF H. E. THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.

The Season will commence on SATURDAY, November 13th, and will last for 20 weeks.

TRANSFERABLE SEASON TICKETS
Available two nights per week, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, 40 Representations.

| | |
|---|---|
| Stage Box to hold 8 ..... | Rs. 960 |
| Private Box to hold 4 ..... | „ 480 |
| Orchestra Stall ..... | „ 100 |

BOOK TICKETS.

To suit the convenience of gentleman who are usually out of town on Saturdays in the season, books will be issued containing 40 Transferable Orchestra Stall Tickets available on any nights except Benefits. Price Rs. 100.

*Note.*—These Tickets will not be issued after the commencement of the season, when the usual price (Rs. 4) will be charged for an orchestra stall.

Applications for Boxes and Stalls should be made to Messrs. SOUNDY and Co.

Boxes and Stalls will be allotted according to priority of application and payment. Cheques should be drawn in favour of HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK FOR CREDIT OF THEATRE SUBSCRIPTION.

A copy of the Prospectus, showing the subscribers' guarantee, can be had on application to Messrs. SOUNDY & Co.

The following is the LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS up to date, including purchasers of Book tickets :—

BOX HOLDERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| H. E. the Governor, | Capt Morland. |
| H. E. the Commander-in-Chief. | Mr. H. A. Hormarjee. |
| Hon. Mr. Ashburner. | Mr. J. Poutz. |
| Hon. Mr. Ravenscroft. | Mr. E. B. Carroll. |
| Hon. Mr. Melvill. | Mr. Beaufort. |
| Hon. Mr. Bayley. | Mr. J. M. Campbell. |
| Mr. W. Maitland. | Mr. Faehrfurt. |
| | Dr. Hojel. |

STALL HOLDERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Hon. Sir Charles Sargent. | Mr. Marinitsch. |
| Hon. Mr. Marriott. | Mr. F. G. Rimington. |
| Mr. Inverarity. | Mr. L. Rivett-Carnac. |
| Mr. H. W. Richardson. | Mr. L. P. Russell. |
| Mr. M. Macdonald. | Mr. G. E. Noble (2.) |
| Mr. K. Morojee. | Col. Sexton. |
| Major Cowper. | Mr. Grattan Geary. |
| Mr. Philpson. | Mr. F. D. Parker. |
| Mr. C. W. L. Jackson. (2). | Mr. H. W. Uloth. |
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The Bombay Price Current contains—
A Specially-Written Market Report.
Freight Report, &c.
Summary of Cotton Exports during the Week.
Imports and Exports of Bullion.
Quotations of Imports and Exports, and Customs' Duties.
Comparative Summaries of Imports of Pieces Goods from Bombay, up to date as per Ships' Manifests, with the total Exports for the month, and for the same period as far back as 1870 and 1878 respectively.
Comparative Summaries of Imports of Piece Goods and of Yarn into Bombay from Great Britain up to date, with the total for the month and for the same period as far back as 1879 and 1878 respectively.
Share List and Rates of Exchange.
List of Vessels in Bombay Harbour on the date of publication, arrivals and departures of Vessels during the week, and Vessels expected from Out and Home Ports.
Charters and Engagements.

Annual Subscription in advance....Rs. 10
Single Copy ..... Annas 4
"Bombay Gazette" Office, Rampart Row, Fort.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.
NOTICE.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Bank will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 30th instant, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

J. BUCHAN,
Acting Manager.
Bombay, 24th September, 1880.

NOTICE.

AN ad-interim DIVIDEND has been declared for the Half-year ended, 30th June last at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, or SIX SHILLINGS and THREE PENCE PER SHARE, and will be payable on or after the 30th instant to the Proprietors registered in the Books of the Bank on the 24th instant, on production of Share Certificates.

By order of the Board,

J. BUCHAN,
Acting Manager.
Bombay, 24th September, 1880.

NOTICE.

IN the matter of Act XVII of 1864 and in the matter of the TRUST PROCEEDS of a POLICY of INSURANCE on the LIFE of FRANK COLEBROOK BLODWELL, late of Oommraotee, deceased. A dividend at 25per cent on admitted, claims against the above Trust fund has been DECLARED, and will be PAID at the OFFICIAL TRUSTEES OFFICE in the High Court on WEDNESDAYS, during office hours.

L. RIVETT CARNAC,
Official Trustee.
Official Trustee's Office, Bombay, 24th Sept. 1880.

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Executive Engineer K. D.
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PROSPECTUS OF THE

## BAREILLY AND KUMAON RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Capital—Rupees 24,00,000

In 24,000 Shares of Rs. 100 each: Rs. 10 payable on application, Rs. 10 on allotment, and no further calls will be made until January next, when calls not exceeding Rs. 10 per Share will be made at intervals of not less than one month as may be needed for expenditure on construction. It is proposed to raise a portion of the Capital in England.—see para. 11.

DIRECTORS.

General the Hon'ble Sir Henry Ramsay, C. B., K. C. S. I., Commissioner of Kumaon, R. M. Edwards, Esq., C. S., Commissioner of Rohilkund. } Appointed by Government to act as Directors ex-Officio.

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BANKERS IN INDIA: Bank of Bengal and all its Branches.

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THIS Company is formed under the auspices of the Government, for the purpose of constructing a light Railway, on the Metre gauge, between Bareilly and Bamouri, (close to Ranibagh,) at the foot of the Kumaon Hills, near Naini Tal, a distance of 65 miles, of which 4 miles will be constructed by Government; leaving about 61 miles to be constructed by the Company.

2. In view of the usefulness of this line and the savings ensured by its construction, the Government has granted to the Company the following valuable concessions. The Government agree :—

(*a*) To assign such portions of the existing road as may be required for the construction of the proposed line, to concede such additional Government land as may be needed therefor free of cost, and to acquire and transfer such other lands as may be required by the Company at cost price.

(*b*) To grant sleepers of Huldu, and other Bhabur and Terai woods, for the construction of the line free of Forest dues.

(*c*) To permit the Company to cut fuel at convenient distances on each side of the proposed line within certain limits of the Bhabur and Terai, for the purposes of the Railway, on payment of a nominal annual royalty of Rs. 100.

(*d*) To construct that portion of the projected Bareilly and Pilibhit Line which lies between Bareilly and the point where that line crosses the Bareilly and Ranibagh road, (about 4 miles,) with passenger stations, platforms and connections with the Oude and Rohilkund Railway good-sheds, &c.; and to give the Company running powers over this portion of their line, the Company paying Government a fair rent for the use thereof.

(*e*) To pay the Company for a term of ten years, from the date of the opening of their line for traffic, an annual subsidy of Rs. 40,000.

(*f*) The Post Office Department to pay the Company the sum of about Rs. 10,000 per annum (calculated on present actual cost) for the carriage of Mails.

(*g*) To pay for the conveyance of Troops, Government Stores, &c., at the Company's rates.

(*h*) To construct a new line of Cart road between the Ranibagh terminus of the line and the Naini Tal Brewery.

(3) The company on their part undertaking to complete the line within two years from the date at which they are put in possession of the land; to maintain it to the reasonable satisfaction of Government; to be responsible for the safety of all existing bridges and culverts utilised by them; to run not less than one train each way per diem; and to be responsible for the proper conveyance of passengers and goods along the road from the terminus to the Brewery upon the completion of the said new road.

4. Government to have the right to purchase the line at the expiration of ten years from the date of opening, at a price not exceeding 20 per cent above the average value of the shares during the preceding three years as dividend earning investments, and possibly at recurrent periods to be fixed hereafter.

5. These terms are highly favourable to the Company, inasmuch as Government aid is obtained as far as it is ever likely to be required under the most unfavourable conditions of traffic. The permission to utilise the present Government road reduces considerably the work necessary for the formation of the line; its alignment is almost straight, and the line will run on the berm of the road, (which is sufficiently wide for the purpose without disturbing existing traffic,) effecting a great saving in the cost of land and earthwork; and as all the larger streams to be crossed have substantial bridges, (built within the last ten years,) which will be utilised by the proposed Railway, no engineering works of any magnitude are necessary

# COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPT. 24, 1880.

THE past week has not been characterised by any feature of special interest. The weather continues all that could be desired for the growing crops, heavy rains having been followed by seasonable sunshine, and as regards the future, anticipations are decidedly hopeful. In the actual extent of current business, however, there is no very marked improvement, although since the holidays there has been a trifle more doing all round. This has been more particularly the case in Piece-Goods, for which the demand has been growing perceptibly day by day, and once the present large stocks are got well under, there will be every prospect of a good season. Of exports supplies are too small to admit of any activity at the moment, but some few contracts are beginning to be made for new crops of Cotton and Seeds, and considerable freight engagements have been made by the regular liners for January-February-March shipment to the Mediterranean and Adriatic ports at 37s. 6d. for Seeds and £2 to £2-2-6 for Cotton, payable here at 2s. exchange

MONEY.—The market has not undergone any practical change during the week, 2 per cent. per annum being still the rate of interest current in the open market for demand loans on the security of Government Paper. As we anticipated, moreover, the tendency for the time being continues more in favour of lower than higher rates, the increased activity in imports liberating funds previously locked up, while our export trade absorbs no money of any consequence. This in all probability will be the position for another month or two, unless Calcutta begins to attract money, of which however there are no signs at present.

EXCHANGE.—We have still to report great quietness in Sterling; only a limited business is being done, and rates have not undergone any fluctuations of importance during the week. The market opened for this mail on the basis of 1s. 8d. for demand Bank Bills and 1s. 8¼d. for 3 months' Credits, and no change took place until Wednesday, when the Banks advanced their drawing rates 1-16d. and their buying figures 1-32d. to 1-16d. On Thursday, however, the news of Council drafts having only brought an average of 1s. 8d.—a shade less than was anticipated—induced a decline of 1-32d., and no change has taken place to-day, closing quotations being:—Bank Bills on demand 1s. 8 1-32d., Telegraphic 1s. 8d., 3 months' sight 1s. 8¼d.; Credits, 3 months' 1s. 9-32d.; Documents, 3 months' 1s. 8 5-16d.; Francs, 3 months' 2-14¾ per rupee.

For future delivery there has not been much doing latterly. The Banks are sellers for the last two months of the year at 1-32d. over current rates, and would buy at the same difference, but for later delivery it is difficult to give a reliable quotation. This exemplifies very fairly the current state of opinion regarding the future of the market; no movement of any great importance being anticipated in the immediate future, and later on so much rests with what Government may do that it is impossible to form any reliable opinion. The majority of people, however, seem inclined to believe in an ultimate improvement in rates, and while the position is admittedly quiet at the moment, an idea prevails that a decline to anything below 1s. 8d. would induce Government to restrict Council drafts. There is nothing definite on which to base such a belief, but it undoubtedly exists, and has, moreover, some little influence in steadying the market. Another steadying influence is the comparatively small stock of Silver available in London, or rather the limited number of sellers at present rates. Reuter for some time quoted 51 15-16d., but this proves to have been a mistake, and 52¼d. is now given, equivalent to about 1s. 8d. per rupee. It must be remembered, however, that higher prices invariably attract liberal supplies.

On Calcutta, there has not been much doing lately. Quotations are, demand drafts ½ per cent. premium, 60 days' sight 5/16 per cent. discount. On China, we quote 60 days' sight at Rs. 220 per 100 dollars.

From Hongkong, the latest quotation by wire for 4 months' sight Bank Bills on London is 3s. 9¾d. per dollar and from Shanghai 5s. 2¾d. per tael.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.—The general state of the market may be described as quiet but steady at previous prices. In the early part of the week some additional firmness was caused by a speculator covering in against previous sales, and for this purpose some considerable amounts changed hands at ½ to 3-16 over to-day's prices, but the real market price was not materially affected and at the outside never moved more than 1-16. The quietness in Exchange is necessarily against higher prices for Government Paper, but this is about counterbalanced by the existing cheapness of money. We quote:—Fours Rs. 96 7-16; Fours-and-a-half Rs. 104 9/16.

SHARES.—On the whole the market has been firm, but with the exception of Spinning and Weaving Mill shares there has not been much buying and little of a speculative feeling apparent. *Bank* shares are unaltered throughout, Bank of Bombay at Rs. 700, Agra at Rs. 132, and Nationals at Rs. 105. In *Land* Companies there is no movement of any kind. *Press* shares are firm, and we have to note an advance during the week of Rs. 75 in Apollo, Rs. 50 in East India, Rs. 7½ in New Indian, and Rs. 3 in Broach Cotton Co. In *Spinning* shares we quote an advance of Rs. 200 in Alliance, Rs. 80 in Khatao Muckunjee, Rs. 50 in Khandesh, Rs. 40 in Madras, Rs. 15 in New Great Eastern and Oriental, 10 in Hindustan, and Swan Balloon, Oriental, and Prince of Wales, Rs. 5 in Coorla and Madras United, and Rs. 2½ in Alfred. Amongst *Miscellaneous* Companies the only changes are an advance of Rs. 2 in Bombay Ice Company and a decline of Rs. 5 in Bombay Burmah Trading Company.

PIECE-GOODS.—The demand in the bazaar has been steadily improving since last mail left, and we estimate the clearances in the interval at about 1,750 packages. More would doubtless have been done, but for dealers endeavouring latterly to obtain an advance of 1 to 1 anna per piece in prices which has had the effect of restricting business. Stocks are large, and although dealers are not pressing sellers they will not commence operating again to arrive until they have been able to free their hands somewhat. As things look just now they will have a good chance of doing so before the Dewali, as everything points to an improving demand, whilst the discrepancy between Manchester prices and our currencies will tend to restrict shipments. The half time movement in Lancashire if maintained for any length will be further in favour of reduced supplies, and the future of the market therefore contains elements of undoubted strength.

Of *Local* made goods the sales this week have been about 1,000 packages at unaltered prices.

TWIST.—The demand for English Yarns has been rather more active of late, and although we cannot quote any actual advance in prices the tendency is firmer. To arrive, there has not been much doing, but the enquiry is a shade better than it was. For *Local* Yarns a fair demand has been experienced, resulting in clearances of about 1,250 to 1,500 packages during the week at unaltered rates.

METALS.—*Copper*.—The amount of business doing has only been moderate, but prices are well supported, notwithstanding lower quotations from home. We quote an advance of As. 8 per cwt. in Braziers, but other kinds are unchanged. In *Yellow Metal* the transactions have been limited and prices are quiet and unchanged. For *Iron* the enquiry has been very limited, and although we make no actual change in quotations they must be considered more sellers than buyers rates.

COALS.—A very quiet feeling still prevails, and to arrive the only business we have heard of is the sale of a part cargo of Castle Eden West Hartley, November-December shipment bysteamer, at Rs. 18½ per ton alongside. The cargo of Cardiff, per Yarkhand, now in harbour, is being ratailed at Rs. 18½ per ton alongside.

COTTON.—The market continues quiet, with only a limited business doing. Liverpool advices necessarily exercise some influence on rates, but in the meantime the requirements of the local Mills are sufficient to prevent any material decline in the value of ready Cotton, and our quotations are practically unaltered for the week.

The purchases reported since the departure of last mail only make up a total of about 2,750 bales, of which about 2,000 bales may be put down to the local Mills and 750 bales for export. The latter has been mainly made up of F. G. F. Omra for the Continent, the demand for Liverpool being apparently at a standstill.

In *New Crop* the purchases reported for export are only some 500 bales Ginned Broach for March delivery at Rs. 228 per candy, and other quotations may be taken as to a great extent nominal, there being sellers but no buyers at our figures. Regarding the condition of the crop there is little to add to our last week's report. The weather has been favourable in every quarter, and the general opinion seems to favour an out-turn about equivalent to last year.

The *Receipts* of Cotton to date show the following comparisons:—

| | 1880. | 1879. | 1878. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For the Week | 3,376 | 7,850 | 1,814 |
| Since 1st September | 15,136 | 18,721 | 7,429 |
| Total since 1st Jan. | 1,069,393 | 781,491 | 965,830 |

The *Clearances for Sea* since the departure of last mail have been 2,156 bales, making the total since 1st January 857,595 bales, against 603,398 bales for the same time last year.

The following are to-day's quotations for Full-pressed Cotton, with the equivalents in Sterling, Cost, and Freight to Liverpool, via Canal, without Commission:—

| | Per Candy. | Per lb. C. & F. |
|---|---|---|
| Old Good Omra (Nominal) | Rs. 212–5 7 16d. | |
| " F.G.F. do. | " 201–5 3d. | |
| " G.G.F. do. | " 198–5 3 32d. | |
| " Good Dhollera (Nominal) | " 212–5 7 16d. | |
| " F. G. F do. | " 203–5 7 32d. | |
| " Do. do. Dec. delivery | " 196–5 3 32d. | |
| " G. F. do. Ready | " 197–5 4 16d. | |
| " G. F. Comptia | " 187–4 13 16d. | |
| Good Ginned Dharwar (Nominal) | " 203–5 7 32d. | |
| New Azote (March delivery) | " 216–5 11 16d. | |
| " Good Omra " " | " 213–5 19 32d. | |
| " F. G. F. " " | " 209–5d. | |
| " Good M.G. Broach " " | " 228–5 31 32d. | |
| " F. G. F. Dhollera, May | " 199–5 9 32d. | |

SEEDS.—*Linseed*.—A steady demand has prevailed for ready Seed at Rs. 6-12 to Rs. 6-15, and supplies being small, the market may be called firm at that. For December delivery business has been done at Rs. 6-12, and there are sellers but no buyers of New Crop for April-May delivery at Rs. 6-8 per cwt. In *Rapeseed* there is nothing doing, ready stocks being exhausted, but contracts have been made for New Guzerat at Rs. 5-11 per cwt. The *Gingelly* crop is still unfavourably reported upon, but contracts are reported to have been made for New White Cawnpore at Rs. 4½ per candy.

WHEAT.—A fairly active demand prevails, but supplies on the spot are now reduced to a very small compass, and arrivals are not likely to assure any importance for another month. Best Soft White may be quoted at Rs. 31 to Rs. 31-4 per candy.

## BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

### BANKS.

| | Shares. | Am't. | Paid up. | Last Dividend | Cash Rates. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| INDIAN BANKS. | | Rs. | Rs. | | Rs. |
| Bank of Bombay | 20,000 | 500 | 500 | 5p. ct. | 700 |
| Bank of Bengal | 42,000 | 500 | all | 8 do. | 750 |
| Bank of Madras | 10,000 | 500 | all | 8 do. | 625xd |
| EXCHANGE BANKS. | | £ | £ | | |
| Agra Bank | 100,000 | 10 | all | 3 do. | 132 |
| Chart'd Bank I. & C. | 40,000 | 20 | all | 6 do. | 275 |
| Chart'd Mercantile | 30,000 | 25 | all | 6 do. | 280 |
| Hongkong & Shanghai Bank | 40,000 | 284 | all | 8 do. | 400 |
| National Bank of India | 37,320 | 25 | 12½ | 5 do. | 105 |
| Oriental Bank | 60,000 | 25 | all | 5 do. | 270 |

### LAND COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
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| New Colaba Co. | 4,000 | 3,000 | 2,925 | 2 p. ct. | 665 |
| Frere Land | 7,500 | 150 | 150 | 100 | 22 |
| Mazagon Land, &c. | 1,750 | 2,000 | 2,000 | .. | 35xd |
| Port Canning Co. | 6,000 | 1,400 | 1,400 | 13 | 205 |

### PRESS COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Akbar Cotton | 150 | 5,000 | 2,850 | 50 | 1,000 |
| Albert Ginning Co. | 100 | 500 | all | 18 p.ct. | 425 |
| Albert Press Co., Kurrachee | 200 | 2,000 | 1,100 | 125 | 1,180 |
| Apollo Press Co. (small shares) | 750 | 2,400 | 2,200 | 32 | 2,100 |
| Bellary | 625 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 20 p. s. | 500 |
| Bezar Cotton Ginning and Press Co. | 600 | 500 | all | 50 | 445 |
| New Indian Press | 1,000 | 350 | 350 | 14 | 112½ |
| Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co. | 1,400 | 250 | all | 10 | 42 |
| Colaba Press Co | 500 | 1,880 | 1,880 | 50 | 650 |
| Dholiera Press and Ginning Co. | 500 | 300 | all | 15 | 200 |
| East India Press Co | 700 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 100 | 1030 |
| Fort Press Co | 150 | 8,500 | 8,500 | 50 | 1,900 |
| French Press Co | 300 | 500 | all | 15 p. s. | 400 |
| Sind Press Co | 400 | 2,000 | 750 | 50 | 525 |
| Motijeel Co | 3,125 | 100 | 400 | 30 | 200 |
| Prince of W. Press | 120 | .. | 1,500 | 75 | 750 |
| Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co | 100 | 1,000 | 750 | 110 | 1,220 |
| Sassoon Press Co | 300 | 500 | 500 | 25 | 425 |
| Volkart's Press Co | 450 | 1,000 | all | 50 | 530 |

### SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

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| Ahmedabad S. & W. Company | 600 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 90 | 990 |
| Albert Mill | 400 | 2,000 | 1,700 | — | 465 |
| Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company | 30,000 | 100 | 100 | 2½ | 94 |
| Aired Manufacturing Company | 2,000 | 500 | 500 | 22½ p.s. | 525 |
| Alliance Spinning | 600 | 2,500 | all | 65 p. s. | 2,100 |
| Bhowanuggur Mills | 300 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 100 | 250 |
| Bombay United | 900 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 25 | 930 |
| Central India S. & W. Company | 2,500 | 500 | 500 | 30 | 710 |
| Coorla Mills | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 20 | 630 |
| D. Spinning | 3,000 | 2,000 | all | 35 | 605 |
| Empress S. & W. Co. | 1,500 | 500 | all | 25 p. s. | 500 |
| Golam Baba Spinning Company | 1,000 | 500 | 400 | 20 | 525 |
| Hindustan | 875 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 4 | 1,085 |
| Hydrabad Spinning Company | 700 | 1,000 | 1,000 | .. | 660 |
| Jaffer Ali Spinning Company | 600 | 500 | 500 | 50 | 675 |
| Jewraj Balloo | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 45 p. s. | 970 |
| Khandeish | 750 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 30 | 950 |
| Khatao Muckunjee | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 45 p. s. | 825 |
| Madras | 300 | 1,250 | 1,250 | 75 | 575 |
| Madras United | 350 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 80 p. s. | 1,440 |
| Manockjee Petit's | 2,500 | 1,000 | all | 50 | 1,290 |
| Muncherjee Spinning Co. | 2,000 | 50 | 500 | 35 | 170 |
| Morarjee Goculdas | 1,050 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 | 1,175 |
| National Spinning | 500 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 | 960 |
| New Great Eastern | 1,400 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 p. s. | 1,355 |
| Oriental | 4,000 | 625 | 625 | .. | 670 |
| Prince of Wales Spinning Company | 1,500 | 500 | 500 | .. | 265 |
| Sassoon S. & W. Co. | 1,500 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 | 775 |
| Sholapore Mills | 500 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 | 1010xd |
| Soonderdas | 1,250 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 75 | 910 |
| Victoria Mills | 550 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 40 | 665xd |

### RAILWAY COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock | .. | £20 | 218-3-0 | 5 p. ct | 310 |
| Do. New £20 shares. | .. | £20 | 130-14-6 | do | 26 |
| Ditto | .. | £20 | 65-7-3 | do | 72 |
| Ditto | .. | £20 | 21-13-1 | do | 32 |
| B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co. | .. | £100 | 1,000 | do | 1,000 |
| Bo. New £15 Shares. | .. | £18 | 196-5-15 | do | 265 |

### MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bombay Saw Mills | 600 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 80 | 690 |
| Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited. | 1,250 | 400 | 100 | 8 p.c | A 142 / B 132 |
| Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation | 1,000 | 2,500 | 1,500 | 225 | 2,110 |
| Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association | 5,000 | 100 | 10 | 15 p.ct. | 10 |
| Kurrachee Landing and Shipping Co. | 500 | 500 | 300 | 36 | 400 |
| Mechanics' Building Co. | 4,000 | 50 | 50 | 3 p.ct. | 20 |
| Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company | 5,000 | 200 | 50 | .. | 50 |
| Oriental Loan Association | 5,000 | 20 | 20 | 10 p.ct. | 20 |
| Prince of Wales Fire Insurance | 250 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 100 p.s. | 855xd |
| Treacher & Company. | 2,000 | 500 | all | 7½ | 705 |
| Thacker & Company. | 1,000 | 100 | 100 | 10 | 135 |

## PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sovereigns, each | Rs. | 12-1-0 |
| Carolas | " | 224 |
| Mexican Dollars | " | 223 |
| Five-Franc Pieces | " | 240 |
| Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ betterness | " | 106-11-0 |
| Gold Leaf | " | 19-7-0 |
| Bar Gold, 10 oz. English, 100 touch | " | 19-5-0 |
| Australian Gold, 100 touch | " | 19-5-0 |
| Bombay Bar Gold 100 touch | " | 19-7-6 |
| Pekin Gold Bars | " | 19-0-0 |

## GREAT INDIAN PENINSULAR RAILWAY.

Statement of Traffic for the week ending 18th Sept. 1880.

| | Open 1,268½ miles. | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Coaching | | 1,17,985 | 0 | 0 |
| Merchandise | | 1,45,784 | 0 | 0 |
| Telegraph | | 919 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total Rs. | 2,64,688 | 0 | 0 |
| Corresponding week last year, open 1,268½ miles | Total Rs. | 2,57,934 | 8 | 1 |
| Increase | | 6,753 | 7 | 11 |

# SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE ship Faragut, 1,548 tons, Captain J. M. Small, will sail to-day for Calcutta in ballast.

THE steamer Pallion, 1,111 tons, Captain W. Skinner, will sail to-day for Rangoon in ballast.

THE ship Prince Lucien, 1,549 tons, Captain D. Cochrane, will sail to-day for Calcutta with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Sirdhana, 2040 tons, Captain R. W. Ker, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kurrachee (21st Sept) in ballast.

THE barque Accacia, 310 tons, Captain S. Henderson, arrived in harbour on the 23rd inst from Mauritius (5th Sept), with a cargo of 7,768 bags sugar.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Madura, 1,266 tons, Captain W. Starratt, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Calcutta with a general cargo and Mr O'Shea, and 266 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Puttialla, 484 tons, Captain W. Britten, will sail to-day for Kattywar Coast and Kurrachee with a general cargo, and Mr Thole and 220 deck passengers.

THE steamer Palm, 1394 tons, Captain Allan Bulk, which arrived in harbour on the 23rd inst from London (22nd Aug.), brought the following cargo:—12 packages piece-goods, 245 packages wine, 23,029 bars iron, 1 cask sherry, 20 cases spirit, 25 cases butter, 206 casks beer, 12 drums ammonia, 30 cases stocks, 3 cases acid, 90 packages colors and paints, 120 bundles hoops, 505 packages wine and spirits, 12 casks ink, 20 cases matches, 10 cases tinplates, 5,150 plates, 1,000 packages clocks, 251 kegs nails, 131 packages papers, 209 bars copper, 40 casks sheet spelter, 139 packages oilmanstores, 208 packages provisions, 60 packages oil, 31 packages medicine, 207 packages window-glass, 10 cases soap, 16 packages bottles, 250 kegs redlead, 29 packages turpentine, 5,152 pipes, and many packages merchandise. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Melville and Co.

## DEPARTURE OF THE CHINA AND AUSTRALIAN MAILS.

THE P. and O. Co's steamer Zambesi, 1,540 tons, Captain A. Symons, sailed yesterday for China and Australia, with China and Australian Mails, 1,391 chests opium, general cargo, and the following passengers:—For Hongkong.—Mr W. Macpherson. For Melbourne:—Mr W. Woolford, and Mr Bergon. For Sydney.—Mr and Mrs Lucaton. For Galle.—Mr F. Spick.

## ARRIVALS.

| Sept. | Vessels. | Commander. | From. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 23 | Accacia | Henderson | Mauritius, Sept 5. |
| 21 | Madura (s) | Starratt | Calcutta, Aug 31. |
| | Sirdhana (s) | Ker | Kurrachee, Sept 21. |

## DEPARTURES.

| Sept. | Vessel. | Commander. | Destination. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 24 | Zambesi (s) | Symons | China & Melbourne. |
| | Pallion(s) | Skinner | Rangoon. |

The following vessels obtained their port clearances yesterday:—
Steamer Puttialla, Britten, to Kurrachee.
Ship Faragut, Small, to Calcutta.
Ship Prince Lucien, Cochrane, to Calcutta.

## DAILY IMPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 24.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Wistow Hall s—50 cases brandy, Bell, Brandenburg and Co; 110 No iron plates and 240 bundles iron, Heptoola Shaik Adum and Co; 557 Nos. and 702 bundles iron bars, 16 cases iron chain; 3 casks brass, and 1 cask copper wire, Abdool Hoosein Heptoola and Co; 159 boxes bar soap, A K Shroffally; 25 bales printing paper, Byramjee Shapoorjee.

FROM LONDON.

Khiva s—1 hogshed brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee.
Singapore s—17 cases foolscap paper, Abdoolally Abdool rahim and Co.
Kashgar s—67 boxes silver bars (Rs 1,69,000) and 1 box gold coins (Rs 50,000). The C M Bank.
Verona s—34 boxes bar silver (Rs 75,000) and 1 box gold coins (Rs 50000). The C M Bank; 2 cases soap, Thomson and Taylor.
Clan Lamont s—3 bales wall papers, Abdool Hoosein Tyebally.

FROM GLASGOW.

India s—32 cases clocks, Rustomjee Cowasjee Patell; 3 casks sherry wine, Hormusjee Cooverjee and Co.

FROM GENOA.

India s—40 cases brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee.

FROM TRIESTE.

Kashgar s—13 packages writing papers, S Bensol.

## DAILY EXPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 24.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Wistow Hall s—59 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co; 72 bales cotton, Jairam Dayall.

FOR LONDON.

Verona s—2 cases shawls, Hajee Safeleen Goolam Hoosein.
Clan Lamont s—3 cwts mustardseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR GENOA.

Singapore s—100 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Singapore s—2 cwts horns, F Sanquet and Co; 300 cwts mowra flower, Darashaw Rustomjee; 2,410 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR PORT SAID.

Verona s—12 cwts indigo, E L Moolchund.

FOR ALEXANDRIA.

Verona s—30 packages silk and 22 cwts coffee, E L Moolchund.

FOR TRIESTE

Verona s—100 bales cotton, L Singer and Co; 35 bales cotton, Greaves, Cotton and Co.

FOR SUEZ.

Verona s—13 packages silk, Hajee Zunell Abedin; 8 packages silk, Caymally Tyebally Son.

FOR HONGKONG.

Zambesi s—3 bundles E teeth, Ludhabhoy Chuttoo; 10 chests opium, Hajee Adum Esmall and Co; 31 chests opium, Ebram Noordin and Co; 27 chests opium, Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahamed; 22 chests opium, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy; 24½ chests opium, Hajee Essac Ellias; 11 chests opium, Currimbhoy Ebram; 9 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomjee and Co; 8 chests opium, S E Sassoon; 45 chests opium, E D Sassoon and Co; 3 chests opium, Morlidhur Becharimull; 6 chests opium, Tata and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Zambesi s—20 chests opium, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy; 321 chests opium, Abraham Ezra and Co; 162 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 28 chests opium, Currimbhoy Ebram; 9 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomanjee and Co; 153 chests opium, Khoosedas Hurmookrey; 16 chests opium, Tata and Co; 94½ chests opium, M S Gubbay and Co; 7 chests opium, Banodiram Balchund; 11 chests opium, Tarachund Ghanshamdass; 29 chests opium, Roogunath Vurujlall; 28 chests opium, Abram Ezra and Co; 1 chest opium Goolraj Juggonath; 25 chests opium, Narsingdhur Narondass; 3 chests opium, Tarachund Sectaram; 4 chests opium, Moorildhur Becharimull; 5 chests opium, E D Sassoon and Co.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

### GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 23rd September 1880.

*Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a. m. 2 p.m., 6 p.m., and 10 p.m.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah. | 29·822 |
| Temperature of the Air | 79·6 |
| Wet Bulb Thermometer | 75·8 |
| Dew Point | 74·1 |
| Relative humidity of Air | ·845 |
| Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=8.) | 4·8 |
| Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.). | 83·0 |
| Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.) | 73·0 |
| General Direction of Wind | ..SE, ESE, NW. |
| Movement of wind in 24 hours | 222 |
| Fall of Rain | 0·16 |
| Total fall during month | 22·00 |
| " " year | 65·96 |

" "From midnight to midnight.

## HIGH COURT.—SEPTEMBER 25.

[Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE WEST.]
Equity Side.
Motion on Master's Certificate.
Aban Sha Saheb Ally and another vs Carsinao Bita Saheb and others.
For Counsel's reply.

488-79—Hearn, C and L—Munchershaw Bezonjee vs the New Dhurmsey Poonjabhoy S and W Co—Crawford and R.

[Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE MARRIOTT.]
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
Long Causes.

246-80—Shapurjee and T—Oomajee Lingoo vs. Rukhmabai and others—Tobin and R—Part heard.
339-79—Shamrao—Govrishet vs Dewjee Siwa Thackore and others—C Tyabjee.
436-79—In person—Gunput Shivram vs Nanabhoy Nowroji.
499-78—Nanu and H—Ladkibai vs Ramchunderdass Hunsraj and another—R M Sayani.
311-80—M H Khan—Abdool Cader Tyebally vs Vizbhoocundass Shamuldass—In person.
356-80—Tobin and R—(For plantiff a pauper) Caroline D Aranjo vs Charles J Bonnre—In person.
368-80—In person (a pauper)—Cooverbai vs Thackoor Raghowjee Dharsey.

For the examination of witnesses in the matter of the Indian Company's Act X of 1866 and in the matter of George III Jute and Wool S and W Co., Ld., in liquidation.
R. M Sayani—Cassumbhoy Muttumbhoy petitioner. vs C A Turner, Official Liquidator.—(Not to be called on to-day.)

## MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—SEPTEMBER 22.

Mein, Lieut, 21st Bombay N I, from leave, from Poona.

SEPTEMBER 23.

Kettlewell, Lieut Col, 20th Bombay N I, on leave, from Tanna.

SEPTEMBER 24.

Straghan, Lieut, 2-9th Regt, on sick leave, from Peshawar.
Lugard, 2nd Lieut, 2-9th Regt, on sick leave from Peshawar.
Wood, Lieut, 17th Lancers, on scik leave, from Mhow.

DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 24.

Swiney, Col, 32nd Madras N I, on duty, to Thayetmyo.
Kettlewell, Lieut Col, 20th Bombay N I, from leave, to Tanna.
Fordyce, Lieut, 16th Regt, on duty, to Nusseerabad.

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Byculla, 3rd Sept.

## ANNUAL CHORAL FESTIVAL.

THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CHORAL FESTIVAL will be held in St. Thomas' Cathedral on WEDNESDAY, the 29th September (Feast of St. Michael and all Angels) at 6 p.m. The Sermon will be preached by the Rev. A. G. Lewis, B.A., Chaplain of Ahmedabad.

ADMISSION FREE BY TICKET, which can be obtained on application BY LETTER to the Honorary Secretary, Cathedral Vestry. Copies of the Festival Music may also be had. Price 2 annas.

No applications for tickets will be received after one o'clock on the day of the Festival.

After the Choir have passed in, all unoccupied seats will be open to the public.

The offertories will be devoted to the Indo-British Institution.

## DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

BIRTHS.

KEMP—September 20th, at Calcutta, the wife of W. H. Kemp, Esq., Vety. Surg. R. H. A., of a son, still-born.
MORGAN—September 21st, at Calcutta, the wife of William Carey Morgan, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

LUCAS—REID—September 11th, at Jhelum, W. H. Lucas, Rathlai Pindi Section, P. N. S. Railway, to Annie Christina, daughter of Patrick Barclay Reid, Deputy Collector and Magistrate, Agra.
MITCHELL—CURTIS—September 18th, at Jumalpore, Robert Mitchell, to Helen, eldest daughter of Mr. T. Curtis.

DEATHS.

BROWNLOW—September 1st, killed in action near Kandahar, whilst commanding his regiment, Lieut.-Colonel Francis Brownlow, C. B., 72nd Highlanders.
FROME—September 1st, killed in action near Kandahar, Captain St. John Thomas Frome, 72nd Highlanders.
KNOWLES—September 16th, at Simla, Mrs. J. Knowles, widow of the late Lieut. F. Knowles, of H. M.'s 3rd Dragoons, aged 68.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES, and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the "Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*."


# The Bombay Gazette

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1880.


THE discussion concerning the responsibility for the Maiwand disaster will now enter on a definitive phase since General Primrose's despatch on the battle has at length been received by the Government of India, and will be published in to-day's *Gazette*. From Lord Hartington's reply to a question put in the House by Sir H. Drummond Wolf, the Viceroy's accusers too readily jumped to the conclusion that the truth had at last been ascertained beyond doubt. The Viceroy had ridden roughshod over poor Sir Frederick Haines; he had directed operations as if he had been a heaven-sent General and present on the battle field; he had violated the State Secretary's promise that the Governor-General would be guided in affairs of a purely military character by the opinion of his military advisers. Now, it is quite true that Lord Hartington did attribute the responsibility of the despatch of the force to the Helmund, to Lord Ripon, but it never occurred to Lord Ripon's assailants to ask themselves what the exact question was to which the Secretary of State replied. Sir H. Wolff did not ask whether the responsibility for the advance to the Helmund lay between Lord Ripon and Sir Frederick Haines, but whether it lay between Lord Ripon and his predecessor—a question silly enough in all conscience. Sir H. Wolff might as well have asked whether William the Conqueror could be held culpable. Lord Lytton was officially defunct when the march occurred, and of course Lord Hartington could do nothing else except reply that the responsibility was Lord Ripon's or that of the government of Lord Ripon, which is obviously what the Secretary of State meant. Another answer, we observe, has been given by one or two of our contemporaries to the question under discussion. They allege that Lord Ripon and the Government were guided by the advice of General Primrose. The statement, it may be remembered, corroborates a telegram which we published some time ago; and we return to the subject now, in the first place, because we are informed that Government intends to publish a contradiction of the charges alluded to, with an explanation of the case; and in the second place because, after patient inquiry in various influential and well-informed quarters, we have ascertained facts which certainly bear out the statement made in our telegram, and fully exonerate the Viceroy from the accusation of having acted in defiance of his military advisers. From the "

# TELEGRAMS.

## THE KILLED AT MAIWAND.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

THRO' QUETTA, SEPT. 24.

HAUZIMADTH, Sept. 12.—We have buried over eighty bodies of fugitives slaughtered by the villagers. Some lay in clusters and had evidently fought to the last.

## AYOUB'S PLANS AND ADVISERS.

I have obtained the following information from the Jemadar of Ayoub's Armstrong battery, who was taken prisoner by the Poona Horse. He affirms that there were no Europeans in Ayoub's camp. Shortly after the beginning of the war, two Russian officers arrived in Herat. They were well received by the commandant, a native of Peshawur, named Haussain Ali, and while there they offered nine crores (1 lakhs) of rupees and other assistance if a descent upon the British at Kandahar were organised. The proposal was referred to Kabul, and before a reply was received the Amir died. The officers departed, and Ayoub arrived. Since then there has been no communication with Turkestan. Sirdars bringing presents from the Shah of Persia, visited Ayoub previous to his advance. Many of Ayoub's Sirdars advised him to apply for Russian assistance; but he refused, saying the English and Russians were both Kaffirs. He intended to march to Guzni without fighting and treat with the English for the release of Yakub; but was joined by an immense horde of Ghazis from Zemindawar—my informant says about 100,000—and 1,000 from about Kabul, and these compelled him to fight.

## THE FIGHT AT MAIWAND.

During the battle the Heratis fired upon the Kabulis. The guns expended eight rounds each. Their loss, myinformant estimates at 1,200 regulars, and many thousands of Ghazis.

## THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

THRO' QUETTA, SEPT. 22.

MAIWAND, Sept. 15.—It was very apparent after an examination of the battle-field that the troops were placed in a miserably false position, and the result must have been a foregone conclusion. The line of battle was on a bare slope, facing the enemy, and destitute of all cover. The enemy was mostly protected from our fire by a broad, deep nullah sweeping round the front and flanks of our line, in which their guns and men manœuvred with perfect impunity. The nullah was invisible from our position. A few hundred yards to the left rear of the latter is a line of enclosed gardens and orchards. It is inconceivable why General Burrows did not fight there, or retire there when the battle was going against him. Good infantry could hold it against any odds. Altogether the lamentable incompetency of the General is very apparent, and the only excuse that can be urged is that Government ordered him to stop Ayoub at all risk.

Between Kandahar and the battle-field we have buried about 130 bodies; those on the field are mostly half-buried by the villagers. A large number are still unaccounted for, and it is feared many are still in the hands of the Afghans. The line of fight is marked by an immense number of dead horses and innumerable empty cartridges and graves.

## AFFAIRS AT HERAT.

Herat is held by the son of Meer Afzul Khan, late Governor of Kandahar, in the pay of the Shah of Persia, and it is supposed he will refuse to deliver it up.

It is rumoured that Ayoub Khan is trying to collect men beyond the Helmund.

## POLITICAL AND MILITARY OFFICERS.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

KANDAHAR, SEPT. 23.

The chief topic of discussion here is the relations between the Political and Military officers. The latter accuse the former of withholding information and of hampering military operations. It is said, for instance, that Colonel St. John, while assuring General Primrose of complete confidence on the Wali's troops, wrote the Government of India, expressing distrust. High political officials in Afghanistan are also accused of purchasing the support of certain London and Indian papers with news.

## EXPECTED ABANDONMENT OF KANDAHAR.

It is generally supposed that we shall abandon Kandahar for the Kojak line.

## THE KILLED AT MAIWAND

Thirty bodies of fugitives from Maiwand were discovered and buried to-day near old Kandahar.

## RETURN TO INDIA.

The remainder of General Ross's division starts for India on the 26th, except 6-8 Royal Artillery.

## THE COURT OF INQUIRY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 24.

The court of inquiry has taken a mass of evidence upon the purely military aspect of the Maiwand defeat. The present position of the two officers suspended is so painful a one, that it would be unseemly to criticise their shortcomings on July 27th. It is sufficient to state broadly that the cavalry charge ordered by General Burrows through General Nuttall was not made as ordered, and that on the line of retreat our guns were left with only a few Sowars as escort, while between 400 and 500 of the 3rd Light Cavalry and 3rd Sind Horse were available for that duty.

In justice to the brave men who tried to organize an orderly retirement, when it was found that the enemy had slackened the pursuit, a commission, composed of impartial and experienced general officers, should be ordered to assemble to take action upon the committee of inquiry's reports. By such a commission, if properly constituted, the whole question of responsibility for the military movements might be settled once for all.

## GENERAL PRIMROSE'S REPORT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, SEPT. 24.

General Primrose's report is said to be extremely imperfect. It appears that Colonel St. John first approved of the despatch of troops to the Helmund.

General Burrows is said to attribute the defeat at Maiwand to the indecision of Colonel Malcolmson and Major Currie, the Commandants of the Scinde and Bombay Horse, and to have declared that, had they charged, instead of pleading the demoralization of their men, Ayoub would have been defeated. This, it is supposed, accounts for Major Currie's and Colonel Malcolmson's suspension.

It is also affirmed positively, on good authority, that General Primrose and General Burrows are themselves responsible for the failure of the sortie. General Brooke was carrying a village when General Primrose, by General Burrows's advice, ordered the attacking party to retire. The necessity for a thorough investigation is clearer than ever.

## THE NAINI TAL DISASTER.

## MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)

SIMLA, SEPT. 24.

The Queen has expressed to the Viceroy her sincere distress on hearing of the sad calamity at Naini Tal.

## RACING AT POONA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, SEPT. 24.

It is announced that there is to be an extra day's racing here on Saturday (to-day).

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

*(By Red Sea Cable.)*

## ATTACKS OF THE BASUTOS REPULSED.

CAPE TOWN, SEPT. 23.

On the 20th inst. 1,200 Basutos attacked Mohales Lock, and 5,000 Mafeteng. Both attacks were repulsed after severe fighting.

## THE FRANKLIN EXPLORERS. REMAINS OF THE EXPEDITION FOUND.

NEW YORK, SEPT. 23.

The American exploring party in the Arctic regions have discovered the remains of Sir John Franklin's expedition. The party sledged for eleven months, following the route of the crews of the Erebus and Terror.

## GERMANY AND FRANCE.

BERLIN, SEPT. 23.

The German Press approve of the appointment of M. Barthelemy Hilaire as French Minister of Foreign Affairs.

## THE MONTENEGRIN QUESTION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, SEPT. 23.

Admiral Seymour is at Cettinji, concerting plans with the Montenegrin Government to occupy Dulcigno.

LONDON, SEPT. 23.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed unchanged. Surats steady.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

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|---|---|
| Fair Dhollera | 4 15-16d. |
| The Manchester market has been steady. | |
| 4 per cent. Rupee Paper | 80½ |
| 4½ per cent. do. | 87½ |
| 3 per cent. Consols for account | 97¼ |
| 5 per cent. French Rente, 1872 | 120 |
| Bar Silver | 52½ |
| Exchange on India 60 days sight | 1-8½ |

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results.

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve of Notes | £15,400,000. |
| Bills Discounted | £17,600,000. |
| Bullion | £28,300,000. |

The proportion of the Reserve to the Liabilities is 53 per cent.

## STEAMER REPORTS.

GALLE, SEPT. 24, 10-55 P.M.

Mail steamer Meinam from Calcutta arrived.

GALLE, SEPT. 24, 5 P.M.

French mail steamer Yangtse from Suez arrived.

MR. ROPER LETHBRIDGE, the Press Commissioner, is returning from England. He will arrive in Bombay by the next mail steamer.

MR. LEPEL GRIFFIN is about to go Home for some months on leave. When he returns to India, the *Pioneer* says, he will succeed Sir Henry Daly as Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

THE *Pioneer* understands that Mr. Hope's appointment to be Financial Secretary is doubted. Mr. Chapman, at any rate, has not resigned, and the departmental secretaries are nominated here and not at home.

COLONEL W. S. TREVOR, V.C., R.E., Chief Engineer in British Burma, has been transferred to the office of the Director General of Railways, and Mr. W. C. Furnival is appointed Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma in the Public Works Department.

AN up-country paper gives the *Pioneer* credit for skill in the art of wrapping things up, considering the following comment on the retirement of Sir. E. Johnson to be perfect in its way:—"His term of service in the Council has not been distinguished by any particular incident which can serve to suggest special regret at its expiration."

THE *National Paper*, writing on the resistance offered to the Murris on the road near Sibi by Baboo Krishna Chunder Sanyal, who was killed in the encounter, lucidly observes:—"What do these facts disclose? Do they not show that true courage reigns in the breast of the Bengalli, with this difference with other people's, that it lies there in a dormant state?"

THE unpleasant circumstances in which Lieut. Colonel St. Hill of the 19th, formerly on the Staff of the Madras Commander-in-Chief, was mixed up with the Governor of Tasmania, on whose staff he was, are said to have culminated in his retirement from the service.

THE distinction that has lately been conferred on Sir Frederick Roberts will hardly be accepted by the public at large, the *Pioneer* thinks, as an adequate acknowledgment of the brilliant services he has rendered to the State. Our contemporary considers that General Roberts should have conferred on him "such personal distinctions as may not seem in humiliating disproportion to the character of the great public trust he has so admirably discharged." We presume a title is what the *Pioneer* hints at as necessary to complete General Roberts's happiness.

LAHORE would like to make an effective appearance on the occasion of the Viceroy's visit, but prefers not to pay for it. The *Civil and Military Gazette* is "inclined to think that the agents of the Electric Light Company from Calcutta might do well to display the quality of their illuminations at the Montgomery hall here, on the occasion of the Viceroy's visit. That magnificent room would give the most favourable possible opportunity for showing the power of the light to advantage, and the number of people, who will be assembled, would render the exhibition one of the most effective advertisements that could be made."

THE *Indian Daily News* does not regard the Government's Afghan policy and what it considers the probable results in a very favourable light. Our contemporary thinks: "It is absolutely a necessity of the position that Abdur Rahman may hold himself in that he should fortify the approaches to Kabul, and we regard it as certain that he will do so. The position of the Government of India towards him is this—that if it subsidise him, it will be giving him the means of building up a military power against itself; if it remonstrate with him, it will be reminded it abrogated all treaties of its own motion; if it threaten him, it provokes a Russian alliance with Kabul,—for both Abdur Rahman and Russia are free of all expressed engagements on this point,—and if it make war, it must be prepared for Russian intervention. That is the simple truth of the present position of affairs. Thoughtful men say that that position is so bad in a military and political sense, that there is only one possible cure for it—a fourth war ending in annexation."

THE following particulars about the successor to the Maharajah of Jeypore are given by an up-country paper:—The fact that the late Maharajah had, just before his death, nominated Takoor Kayam Singh as his successor, was studiously kept a secret, outside of the Chief Official Circles, until the Acting Political Agent had had the opportunity of meeting the Ranees and the principal members of the deceased prince's family, in Council assembled. The nomination was made with the acting Political Agent's knowledge, and the secrecy was observed only with the view to avoid any prejudice being awakened among the members of the family, until it was officially proclaimed. That the nomination was so generally assented to, by those who had a right to offer an opinion on the subject, is due to the exertions and good counsel of Meer Kurbaun Ali, a member of the late Maharajah's Royal Council. The Takoor Kayam Singh, the Maharajah elect of Jeypore, is said to be about twenty years of age. At the time of the late Maharajah's death he was at Tonk, whither he had gone in consequence of a serious dispute with his brother, the Takoor of Isardha, and where, until his succession to the Jeypore *gaddee* was announced, he was drawing Rs. 13 per diem from the Nawab of Tonk in accordance with an old established custom in Rajputana, which lays down that refugee nobles shall be entertained by the princes in whose territories they may seek a home.

ON the subject of the recent terrible occurrence at Naini Tal, the *Pioneer* writes:—"Not within the memory of many of us, have Englishmen in India received such a shock as came with the curt announcement of the landslip at Naini Tal, followed by the list of killed. National calamities, indeed, there have been within the last two years; a British force cut up by Zulus; the British Embassy and Escort massacred at Cabul; a Brigade defeated, but the other day, at Maiwand; England has not been without great tribulations. But as they have been national, the grief they caused was borne by the whole nation. This time, the sudden affliction is brought direct to our very homes. Hardly a station in Upper India,—there is hardly a household in many places,—which has not lost a friend or a relative. And while so many have been taken, many others have but just escaped a great peril, the fate of being buried alive. No words can heighten the peculiar horror of the scene described by our correspondent. Sorrow and sympathy will be felt everywhere, which no words would increase. But there is one way in which something may be done to comfort and relieve a share of so much distress. A subscription list will be opened on behalf of those widows and orphans who are left unprovided for. Until a properly constituted committee is formed, donations may be sent to the office of this paper, or to the Allahabad Bank. Such suffering as can be alleviated in this way will not, we feel sure, be forgotten; and the object which we wish to see attained is well within the compass of private benevolence."

THERE has recently been issued "A Monograph on Trade and Manufactures in Northern India, by Mr. William Hoey, C.S." Mr. Hoey was sent to Lucknow at the end of 1878 to revise the assessments of the license tax in that city, and soon found that, in order to do this duty effectually it was necessary to study the trade and manufactures, the arts and dealings of the shopkeepers. He has collected a mass of valuable matter connected with almost every branch of industry known in the country. Part I. is a comprehensive statement of the condition of the trade of Northern India with other states and provinces, including tables of imports and exports during 1877-78, and an appendix describing all the drugs imported from Nepal to be found ordinarily in the Indian bazars. With reference to this list, Mr. Hoey remarks that if a qualified medical officer and botanist could be deputed to Nepal, some valuable knowledge of native medicine might be acquired. Part II. is a very lucid description of the trade of Lucknow, the seventh largest city in the British empire, which Mr Hoey prefaces with a brief but clear picture of the changes wrought in the prosperity of the city by the annexation of Oude, and the events which followed the mutiny of 1857. Part III. is a compilation by the author personally, of notes on trades and profits of trades, which is calculated to be of great service to all in any way interested in the trade resources of Indian bazars, or, in other words, to every European in the country who makes purchases in them. The designations of the trader and artificer, and their equivalent in English; the *modus operandi* of their work; the materials and ingredients used; their origin and price; the cost of the labour employed; and the tradesman's profit on every article sold, are all given in the most faithful detail.

THE *Chargé d' Affaires* of the Sublime Porte in London writes as follows to the *Standard*:—"Some of the London papers have lately been spreading reports, in which it is stated that the Imperial Ottoman Government is endeavouring to excite the minds of the Mussulman populations of of India and Afghanistan through emissaries and seditious publications. As these reports are totally devoid of foundation, having evidently been invented for the purpose of moving the public feeling of this country against an old and faithfully ally, I am instructed by my Government to oppose to them the most formal denial, and I trust that you will be good enough to allow me to do so by inserting this letter in your next number."

# BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Band, Bombay Volunteer Rifles, at the Esplanade Bandstand, this evening, (weather permitting.)
Temple Bar, Concert 9 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 23rd inst.:—Accacia, from Mauritius. Yesterday:—Madura (s), from Calcutta; Sindhana (s), Karrachee.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Zambesi (s), to China and Melbourne; Pallian (s), Rangoon.

MUSIC AT THE ESPLANADE BANDSTAND.—The following programme of music will be played by the Band of the Bombay Volunteer Rifles at the Esplanade Bandstand this evening (weather permitting):—

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| March | Branigans Band |
| Overture | Bauxr Und Dichter |
| Cavatina & Finale | Anna Bolena |
| Waltz | Morgenblatter |
| Quadrille | The Spanish Beauty |
| Galop | Immer Fidel |
| | Leon Doré. |
| | Suppe. |
| | Donizetti. |
| | Strauss. |
| | M. Itelle. |
| | Zikoff. |

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

CONCERT AT THE TEMPLE BAR.—Programme of music to be played at the Temple Bar this evening at 9 p. m.:—

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| March | Fatinitza |
| Overture | Semiramide |
| Der Sohn der Wildness | |
| Waltz | Les Cloches de Corneville |
| An Evening about Town | |
| | Suppe. |
| | Rossini. |
| | Kuicken. |
| | Metra. |
| | Basquit. |
| Quadrille | Fantaska |
| Love's Request | |
| Waltz | Monbelli |
| Cavatina | Anna Bolena |
| Galop | Wildfang |
| | Kaulich. |
| | Rnchardt. |
| | Strauss. |
| | Donizetti. |
| | Faust. |

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s. s. Pallion and Verona left the dock yesterday.

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY.—We are requested to remind Fellows of the University that a meeting of the Senate will be held in the Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Hall to-day at 5-15 p. m.

DEATH FROM SNAKE-BITE.—A Coroner's inquest was held yesterday at Matoonga on view of the body of Govind Bewa, who died from the effects of the bite of a snake on the night of the 22nd instant. A verdict to that effect was recorded.

A PICK-POCKET.—Cassim Abdool, a lad about 14 years of age, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee of stealing eight annas from the pocket of Sultan Mulla. He was sentenced to receive seven stripes with a rattan.

ATTEMPTED THEFT.—A noted character named Faiz Mahomed Mudarbux, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee of trespassing on the premises of Ala Mahomed Nusroodeen and attempting to steal sundry articles of wearing apparel, valued at Rs. 9-12. He was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday at the J. J. Hospital on view of the body of Pasoo Mooljee. Deceased was a labourer employed at the Alliance Spinning and Weaving Mills, and met with an accident on the day previous while carrying a bundle of cotton on his head. He tripped and fell into a gutter, and the bale of cotton falling upon him injured him so severely that he died. The verdict was as follows:—That the death of the deceased was caused by compression of the spine, the result of his having accidentally fallen whilst carrying a bale of cotton.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—T. Nolan, J. Francis, and H. F. Shrewsbury, ticket collectors in the employ of the G. I. P. Railway Company and attached to the Byculla railway station, were yesterday charged, at the instance of Mr. O'Connor, Chief Inspector of the G. I. P. Railway Police, before Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, with criminal breach of trust in respect of certain sums of money collected from passengers and appropriating the sums so collected to their own use. The case was postponed for hearing to the 1st proximo to enable the Railway Police to institute further enquiries into the matter.

ALLEGED THEFTS.—Sergeant A. Raynold, residing at the Ordnance Mess premises, Elphinstone Circle, Fort, reported to the police on Thursday last that on the 22nd instant he missed two currency notes for Rs. 10 each and Rs. 7 in silver from his cash box, which was left open on the mess room table. A servant named Ramlia is suspected to have committed the theft, as since the evening of the 22nd instant he has absented himself. A search is being made for the accused, but he has not as yet been found.—Faizanbee, a Mahomedan woman, residing in Khoja Street, reported to the police on Thursday the theft of two silver ornaments, currency notes, and cash, of the collective value of Rs. 375, from her premises. A man named Abdoola Raymon, a native of Indore, who had been living with complainant and has absconded since the property was missing, is suspected to have committed the theft. A search is being made for the accused.

MOFUSSIL COMPANY, LIMITED.—The tenth annual general meeting of shareholders of the above company was held at its registered office, 6, Hummum Street, on the 22nd inst., under the presidency of Mr. T. H. Moore. The following resolutions were passed:—Proposed by the Chairman and seconded by Mr. Tribhovandas Nathoobhai, that the report of the directors, with balance sheet and profit and loss account for the year ending 30th June 1880, be approved and adopted. Proposed by Mr. Sorabjee Rustomjee Mody, and seconded by Mr. Maneeklal Gooculdas, that a dividend of Rs. 15 per share be declared payable to the shareholders, w hose names stand on the register on the 22nd September 1880, on and after the 27th September next. Mr. Edward Comber was elected a director in the room of Mr. C. Douglas retired, and Mr. Nowrojee Jehangeer Ganadia who retired by rotation, and was highly spoken of by the chairman, was re-elected a director. Messrs. Sadanand Balkrishna and Ardesheer C. Furdoonjee were appointed auditors for the year commencing 1st July 1880, at the usual remuneration of Rs. 150 each. The Chairman, in replying to the usual vote of thanks, said he was very pleased to hear that the shareholders were satisfied with the zeal, industry, and efficiency, which the directors and agents employed for the good of the company. As compared with previous years, the company had done very good business during the year under report. With the consent of the shareholders, the company issued debentures to the extent of three lakhs of rupees, and with the view of gradually unloading the burden of interest and keeping the machinery in an efficient state, the directors thought it desirable to carry the sum of Rs. 15,000 to a reserve fund out of this year's profits, and they proposed to add to it from year to year. The chairman concluded with the hope that the directors might be able to declare a greater dividend next year. At the conclusion of the business of the above meeting, an extraordinary general meeting of the same company was held, when it was resolved that the number of directors shall be in future not less than three, or more than five.

## PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. and O. Co's s. s. VERONA, Captain E. Ashdown, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the Europe Mails and the following passengers:—

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For Brindisi.—Lieut-Col W Johnson, Mr and Mrs W Jackson, Mr. F H Terror, Brigadier Genl Hughes, Mr A Christie, Mr W R Jones, Mr W S Foster.

For Venice—Mr Warneford, Revd J G Gregson.

THE following passages have been engaged by the P. and O. S. N. Company:

2nd October, s s Poona, Captain H Weighell.
For Southampton—Major Seton, R. E., and Major and Mrs Sharp. Major G A and Mrs Way and child Col M Heathcote.
For Brindisi—Surgeon Major J Anderson, Sir W W
For Venice—Mr J R Hunter, Major and Mrs Wilson and child.

9th October s s Venetia, Captain J Orman.
For Venice.—Dr. A Smith.
For Brindisi.—Mr Lepel Griffin, Mrs J G D Walker and infant, Hon'ble Mr and Mrs Kemball.
For Southampton—A Lady.

## DIVINE SERVICES.

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IN THE HARBOUR.
CHAPLAIN—R. F. WINTER.

Divine Service will be held on board the I. G. Hulk Semiramis on Sunday at 11 a. m. Captains, officers, and men are cordially invited to attend. Also in the European General Hospital at 4 p. m., and in the Library of the Royal Alfred Sailor Home at 6 p. m.

## HIGH COURT.—SEPTEMBER 23.

(Before the Hon'ble Sir CHARLES SARGENT in Chambers).

IN RE THE NURSEY SPINNING AND WEAVING CO., IN LIQUIDATION.

THE Hon'ble Mr. Latham appeared for the official liquidators and Mr. Farran for the National Bank. Regarding the matter of cost, the Court awarded that the costs incurred from 3rd February 1880 to filing of the affidavit of the liquidator on 16th April be added to the debt of the company to the Bank, and costs incurred subsequent to that of 16th April to be paid out of the assets of the company, except the costs of affidavit of M. Govind. Costs certified.

## SEPTEMBER 24.

(Before the CHIEF JUSTICE and Mr. Justice M. MELVILL.)

### A SUIT ON A GUARANTEE.

PURMANUNDAS JEEVUNDAS VS. KESSOWJEE NAIK.

THIS was an appeal from a judgment given by Sir Charles Sargent on the 8th July last, dismissing the plaintiff's suit with costs except on three of the issues which latter were to be paid to plaintiff by defendant. The plaintiff sued in the court below to recover Rs. 1,00,500 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from 11th November, 1878, being money payable by the defendant under a guarantee executed by him. Mr. Gill, Mr. Farran, and Mr. Jardine, instructed by Messrs. Chalk and Walker, appeared for the plaintiff and appellant; and the Hon. Mr. Latham, Mr. Lang, and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Hearn, Cleveland, and Little, appeared for the defendant and respondent.

On the 11th November, 1878, plaintiff lent the amount to Nursey Kessowjee, then secretary, treasurer, and agent of the New Fleming Spinning and Weaving Company, upon the terms that it should be repaid in three months with interest at 9 per cent. per annum. Before lending the money, however, he insisted that the defendant should guarantee its repayment with interest. On the same day, therefore, defendant did guarantee due repayment of the amount and interest by a Gujeratee writing upon unstamped paper. A stamped writing, showing the terms of the guarantee, was executed on the 23rd of the same month. Nursey Kessowjee at the same time deposited with the plaintiff as security for the loan 335 shares of the New Fleming Spinning and Weaving Company, and subsequently deposited 50 more shares as additional security. At the time the loan was made, Nursey Kessowjee executed on unstamped paper a further document promising in any event to pay interest at 12 per cent. per annum for a period of six months from 11th November, 1878, even although the principal sum should be sooner repaid, and admitting that the period for repayment of the loan should be (for the purpose of calculating interest) six months instead of three. Plaintiff instituted suit No. 238 of 1879 against the defendant for recovery of the sum and interest on the footing of the agreement and without reference to the last mentioned document. Defendant, however, in a supplemental written statement, relied amongst other things on the subsequent document as showing that the period for repayment of the loan was thereby extended from three to six months, alleging that such enlargement was agreed upon without his knowledge; and contended that, inasmuch as the suit had been instituted before the expiry of the six months, it ought to be dismissed. The suit was in June, 1879, withdrawn by the plaintiff with liberty to file a fresh suit on the same cause of action. Plaintiff alleged in the second suit that the defendant was fully aware of the arrangement above referred to, was present when it was discussed, and took part in discussing it and assented to it.

The defendant's case was this. After the documents, dated 11th and 23rd November, 1878, were executed, and after defendant had agreed to guarantee the payment of the sum of Rs. 1,00,000, it was agreed between plaintiff and Nursey Kessowjee, for good and valuable consideration, that the time for the repayment of the sum should be six instead of three months, and that the terms upon which the loan was granted should be otherwise altered. This was done without the knowledge or consent of the defendant. After the execution of defendant's guarantee, plaintiff caused Nursey Kessowjee to transfer the monies owing on the security of the shares to the debit of the New Fleming Company in the company's books. Such transfer and credit were made without defendant's knowledge or consent, and he submitted that he was released and discharged from all liability to the plaintiff in respect of his guarantee.

The case was heard for several days before Sir Charles Sargent, and at the close of the hearing his lordship found the

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(No. 10.)

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Commanders of steamers are warned by the Marine Authorities at Madras not to anchor between the piers in less than 5½ fathoms at low water; and that when anchoring in this depth they will do so on their own responsibility, and with the exercise of care and judgment.

All sailing vessels, excepting dhonies, should anchor in or beyond the 8-fathom line of soundings, and outside the northern and southern port buoys.

The port buoys are painted red and white vertically, and are anchored in 8 fathoms. These buoys are *dangerous* buoys, and Commanders of vessels making or leaving the anchorage are hereby warned *not to pass inshore* of either of them, nor come under 9 fathoms by night.

The northern buoy marks the position which will form the extreme end of the north pier.

Vessels are on no account to venture between the northern buoy and the north pier, nor between the southern buoy and the south pier, as the rubble bases of both piers extent much further seaward than the piers themselves.

By Direction of the Government of India,

A DUNDAS TAYLOR, Comdr. (late I. N.),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.
Marine Survey Department, Calcutta, 31st August, 1880.

THIS Notice affects the following:—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts, Nos. 71c & d, 828, 70c, and 718c.

INDIAN MARINE SURVEY Charts, Nos. 105, 155, and 162.